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In re Application of :
Kuriacose Joseph et al :
Application No. 09/903,448 : DECISION GRANTING PETITION
Filed: July 10, 2001 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)
Attorney Docket No. 05214.P00 1RD4 :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 22, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) requires a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. Since the statement contained in the instant petition varies from the language required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3), the statement contained in the instant petition is being construed as the statement required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) and petitioner must notify the Office if this is **not** a correct interpretation of the statement contained in the instant petition.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the required reply; (2) the petition fee; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the reply to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Reissue Application of November 16, 2001, is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3208.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karen Creasy".

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